Vol. XXXIII. No. 4427.

號七月九年七十七百八千一英

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 7, 1877.

SAFE!

日一初月八年丑丁

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON: -F. ALGAR, 8, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. GEORGE STREET, 80, Cornhill. Gordon & Goton, Ludgate Circus, E. C. BATES, HENDY & Co., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL DEACON & Co., 150 & 164, Leadenhall Street.

NEW YORK: -ANDREW WIND, 188, Natsau Street.

bourne and Sydney. SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally :- BEAR & BLACK, San Fran-

CHINA: -- Swatow, QUELOH & CAMPBELL, WILSON, NICHOLLS & Co. Foochow, Heder & Co. Shanghai. LAME, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & WALSH. Manila, C. HRIMSEEN & Co. Macao, L. A. DA GRAÇA.

Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID UP CAPITAL,.....5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND,..... 650,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-H. Hoppius, Esq. Deputy Chairman-F. D. Sassoon, Esq.

E.R. Belilios, Esq. | Wilhelm Reiners, W. H. FORBES, Esq. Hon. W. KESWICK. ED. TOBIN, Esq. A. McIver, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER. Hongking, Thomas Jackson, Esq. MANAGER.

Shanghai, Ewen Cameron, Esq. LONDON BANKERS .- London and County

HONGKONG.

INTEREST ALLOWED. IN Current Deposit Account at the rate of 1 per cent. per annum on the daily

balance. For Fixed Deposits :-For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. 4 per cent, ,, ,, 5 per cent, ,, ,,

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. credits granted on approved Securities, al every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts, granted on London, and the

chlef Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East.

Hongkong, August 16, 1877. CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,

AUSTRALIA & CHINA. CAPITAL,....£800,000. RESERVE FUND,.....£110,000.

· BANKERS.

THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE CITY BANK. THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH in HONG. KONG grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange; and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business. Local Bills discounted, and Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on De-

Notices of Firms.

posits for fixed periods on terms which may

be accertained on application.

NOTICE. TR. F. W. HAGEDORN has CEASED to be a Partner in our Firm here of the hammer.

and in China. VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1877.

NOTICE. TR. EDWARD BURNIE will Conduct the Business of my Oppice, during my Temporary Absence from the Colony.

R. H. CAIRNS, Surveyor to Local Offices, and Lloyds Register of Shipping,

2, Club Chambers, Hongkong, March 17, 1877.

NOTICE.

TAROM This Date Mr Edward Sheppard and Mr M. W. GREIG, are authorised to Sign the name of our Firin per Procuration at Foochow, and Mr F. F. ELWELL at Amoy.

RUSSELL & Co. China, June 1, 1877.

NOTICE. AR. F. C. DITTMER is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration. SANDER & Co.

Hongkong, June 23, 1877,

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from R. J. MACKENZIE, Esq., to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW the 11th day of September, 1877, at ZEALAND:-Gordon & Goton, Mel- 2 o'clock p.m., at his Residence "Beaut 2 o'clock p.m., at his Residence "Beau regard,"-

> The whole of the HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Comprising: English-made Rose-wood Morrocco Covered Drawing-room Suites.

Centre Table and Side Tables, French made Pear-wood Card Tables and Corner Cupboards.

Black Marble Mantel-piece Clock with Bronze Figures, Bronzes, Ornaments, Carpets, and Hearth Rugs.

Handsome Pier Glasses, from 7 ft. by 5 ft. to 9 ft. by 5 ft., and Engravings. French Oak Dining Table and Side THE DEVOE MANUFACTURING Co.,

Teakwood Dining-room Chairs. Dinner, Dessert and Breakfast Sets, 1911] Glass-ware and Plated-ware.

English-made Mahogany Bed-room Suite, Mahogany Wardrobes, Wooden and Iron Bedsteads, Mahogany Marbletop Washstands, Cheval Glass, and Marble-top Tables.

A Semi-grand PIANO, by PLEYEL Wolff & Co., Paris.

An American BILLIARD TABLE, with Balls, Cues, &c., complete. Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view on and after Monday,

the 10th Instant. TERMS OF SALE,-Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lobs, with all faults and errors of description, at purchasers' risk on the fall of the hammer.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

. Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 4, 1877. sell

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from R. J. MACKENZIE, Esq. to sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 13th September, 1877, at 2 o'clock p.m., at the Office of the Comptoir D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS, Queen's Road,—

The whole of the HOUSEHOLD and OFFICE FURNITURE, &c., Comprising:-

English-made Mahogany Drawingroom Suite. Black-wood Carved Easy Chairs and Теа-роув.

Carpets, Hearth Rugs, Crystal Gasaliers, and Pictures. Ningpo Inlaid Round Tables.

French-made Cheffoniers with Glass. Dining Table, Chairs, Cupboards, Crockery, Glass and Plated-ware. Iron Bedstead, Wardrobes, Mahogany Marble-top Washstand, Toilet Table and Glass, and Whatnots.

Office Desks, Writing Tables, Shelves, Pigeon-holes, Copying-Press, Clocks, Chairs, Tables, Paper Presses, and

One Patent Iron Safe, by Verstaen. Four Large Iron Chests.

A Semi-grand PIANO, by J. Broadwood & Son.

Catalogues will be issued, and the whole to be on view on and after Wednesday, the 12th Instant.

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7 All Lots, with all faults and errors of A description, at purchasers risk on the fall Company will be Held at the Head Office,

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, September 6, 1877. sel 3

PUBLIC AUCTION.

AMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction,

At a Date hereafter to be named,-The British Barque

"ALPHINGTON," .

of 326 Tons Register or of about 8,000 picule Carrying Capacity, with all her TACKLE, APPABEL and INVENTORY.

The Vessel was Built under Lloyds special survey at Berwick-on-Tweed in 1856, Classed 12 years A 1. at Lloyds SHIPS' and continued in 1868 A. 1. for 8 years. She was Remetalled over Felt in

London in July, 1875. TERMS:-One-third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer. the remainder upon Transfer being effected. The Vessel is at Purchaser's risk immediately after fall of hammer. Hongkong, August 25, 1877.

Intimations.

RELIABLE, ECONOMICAL,

DESIRING to benefit by the worldwide reputation of our Oil, certain parties have attempted to imitate our pack-French-made Pear-wood Marble-top ages. Suits at law have been instituted against the MAKERS AND PURCHASERS of these imitations. Buyers should be careful to see that the words "DEVOE'S BRIL-LIANT" are stencilled on the cases, and the words "DEVOE M'F'G CO. PATENTS'

80 Beaver and 127 Pearl Streets,

are stamped on the top of the can.

NEW YORK, U.S. A.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a List of their Contributions for the year ending 31st December last, in order that the proportion of the Net Profits to be reserved for Contributors may be arranged. Returns not rendered prior to the 31st October next will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted. - JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, August 1, 1877.

> HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Halfyear ending on 30th June last, at the rate of ONE POUND STERLING (£1) per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after FRIDAY, the 17th instant, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are

requested to apply for Warrants. By Order of the Court of Directors, THOMAS JACKSON,

Chief Manager. Hongkong, August 16, 1877.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Com-Contributors may be arranged. Returns | Coloured Portraits of English Ladies. not rendered prior to the 31st October next, will be adjusted by the Company, and no claims or alterations will be subsequently admitted.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, August 1, 1877.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

N Extraordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Victoria, Hongkong, on TUESDAY, the 11th September, at 3 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of Confirming the Special Resolutions passed at the Meeting of Shareholders held This Day.

By Order, W. H. RAY,

Secretary.

Hongkong, August 21, 1877.

TO NATURALISTS.

E. BEDDOME, Esq., of Somerset, a Conchological Correspondence with Naturalists, with a view to exchanging Land-Shells and Fluviatiles. August 28, 1877.

AH YON, OOMPRADORE AND

STEVEDORE, No. 57, Praya West. SHIPPING SUPPLIED WITH ALL KINDS OF COAL, WATER, BALLAST, FRESH PROVISIONS & OILMAN'S

STORES Of the best quality and at the shortest notice. Hongkong, May 1, 1876.

Intimations.

G FALCONER & Co., WATCH AND CHRONOMETER *MANUFACTURERS*, AND

JEWELLERS. NAUTICAL INSTRUMENTS, CHARTS AND BOOKS.

46, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, August 20, 1877.

> W. BALL, CHINA DISPENSARY.

MPORTER of DRUGS, CHEMICALS, Street. DRUGGISTS' SUNDRIES, TOILET REQUISITES, PATENT MEDI-

CINES AND PERFUMES. Prescriptions Dispensed with Carefulness, and Prompt Attention.

PRAYA WEST, HONGKONG, Near the Canton Steamer's Wharf. Hongkong, July 18, 1876.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. SECOND BONUS OF EIGHT per

Cent. upon Contributions for th Year 1876 will be Payable on MONDAY Next, the 10th Instant. Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after 8th

> By Order of the Board, E. MOORE, Act. Sceretary.

Hongkong, September 3, 1877.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned begs to remind his Customers and the Public Generally that he still CARRIES on his PHOTO GRAPHIC BUSINESS in No. 3 LOWER WYNDHAM STREET; the Establishment recently opened in at Noon. Queen's Road, under the Name and Style of Apong & Co.

AFONG, No. 3 A, Wyndham Street.

Hongkong, August 15, 1877. AFONG. PHOTOGRAPHER, 17

by appointment, to H. E. SIR ARTHUR KENNEDY GOVERNOR OF HONGKONG;

and to H. I. H. THE GRAND DUKE ALEXIS OF RUSSIA,

Wyndham Street, formerly ATRIBTIC CLUB TIAS on hand the Largest and Best collection of Views of China, Photographic Albums, Frames, Cases, &c., of assorted sizes. Ex S. S. Tigre, Revolving Standard Albums, Armorial Monograms and Postage Stamp Albums, Russia Leather, Velvet and carved-wood Albums, Cases and pany are requested to furnish the Frames, nice Albums for Cabinet Portralts Undersigned with a List of their Contribu- only, Portraits of the Generals of the pretions for the year ending 31st December last, | sent Russo-Turkish War, Eminent British in order that the distribution of Twenty per | Statesmen, the two Chinese Ambassadors cent (20 %) of the Nett Profits reserved for in Cabinet and Carte de Visite sizes,

Hongkong, August 24, 1877.

DENTAL NOTICE. R. ROGERS begs to inform his Patrons and the Public that he intends to visit AMOY and FOOCHOW in September and October, leaving HONG. KONG about the 15th of September.

For Sale.

Hongkong, August 6, 1877.

FOR SALE. THE Bay Australian Mare "GIROFLE." quiet to Ride or Drive.

Apply to HORSE REPOSITORY. Hongkong, September 3, 1877. FOR SALE.

MUTLER, PALMER & Co.'s Colebrated Brands of WINES and SPIRITS. Apply to SIEMSSEN & Co.

Hongkong, June 22, 1876.

FOR SALE. DERLIN TIVOLI BEER, in Cases of 4 Doz. Quarts.

WIELER & Co. Hongkong, August 20, 1877.

NOW READY.

CHINESE DICTIONARY IN THE CANTONESE DIALECT. Part I., A to K, with Introduction. Royal 8vo, pp. 202.—By Einest John Eifel, Ph.D. Tüblngen.

Price! Two Dottats and a Hatt. To be had from Messrs Lane, Chawlend & Co., Hongkong and Shanghal and Mesers Kelly & Walse, Shanghal Hongkong, February 8, 1877.

To Let.

TO LET. TOS. 4, and 5, Pechili Terrace, Elgin

Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, July 30, 1877.

TO LET.

THE Dwelling House and Offices No. 1 D'Aguillar Street, lately in the occupation of Messrs Douglas Laprain & Co. The Dwelling House No. 6, Gough Street. The Dwelling House No. 10, Gough

Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.

Hongkong, July 9, 1877. OFFICES TO BE LET. THE GROUND FLOOR of the Premises at present occupied by the Comptoin D'Escompte de Paris. Entry on 1st

October. Apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co. Hougkong, September 5, 1877.

TO LET. OUSE No. 10, Albany Road, lately occupied by the Rev. R. H. Kidd. "Bisnee Villa," Pok-foo-lum, Furnished. Houses Nos. 8 and 9, Peddar's Hill.

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.

Shipping.

Hongkong, July 21, 1877.

Steamers.

FOR AMOY AND TAMSUL The Steamship "HAILOONG." Captain J. C. Abbott, will be despatched for the above that he has no connection whatever with Ports on SATURDAY, the 8th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 6, 1877.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

CALCUTTA. The British Steamship Capt. MACTAVISH, will leave this for the above Ports on 12th Instant, at 3 p.m. THURSDAY, the 13th Instant, at 3 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., A gents. Hongkong, September 6, 1877.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The Steamship Captain Rhode, will be de-

DAY, the 13th Instant, at 4 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, September 6, 1877.

Sailing Vessels. FOR NEW YORK. The A1 British Bark "ABERLADY," J. Nicoll, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, August 16, 1877. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 British Barque "GRASMERE,"

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, August 16, 1877.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 German Ship "JOHANNE," Bunge, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, July 31, 1877. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 British Ship "JUBILEE, HARRIS, Master, will load

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1877.

will have immediate despatch.

Shipping.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Barque "GEO. CROSHAW, GEO. IRVING, Master, will have

early despatch as above. For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.

Hongkong, July 28, 1877. FOR HAMBURG. The A 1 British Bark

"LORD MACAULAY! Capt. Monkman, will load for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co. Hongkong, July 20, 1877.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship
"GOLD HUNTER,"

J. FREEMAN, Master, will load
here for the above Port, and

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

will have early despaich.

Hongkong, September 3, 1877. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. (To follow the Barque Caldew.) Capt. BARKER, will load here The A 1 British Barque

the above Ports. For Freight, apply to

- ROZARIO & Co.

Notices to Consignees.

Hongkong, August 13, 1877.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. S. SINDH.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. Seyne, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after SATUR-DAY, the 8th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Agent. Hongkong, September 3, 1877.

H. DU POUEY,

FROM LONDON AND SINGAPORE. THE S. S. Yorkshire having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk by the Undersigned into their Godowns, whence and/or from the Wharf

or Boats delivery may be obtained.

Tapan, unless notice to the contrary is given before Noon Today. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 10th Inst. will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Optional Goods will be forwarded to

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, September 3, 1877. S. S. VENICE, FROM CALCUTTA

AND STRAITS. OWING to the delay in taking delivery of Cargo, Consignees are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk by the Undersigned and stored in their Godowns, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, September 5, 1877. HASTINGS, Master, will load ONSIGNEES of Cargo per British here for the above Port, and Barque WOODVILLE, NIELSEN Barque WOODVILLE, NIELSEN Master, from HAMBURG, are requested to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be

landed and stored at Consignees' risk and

Hills of Lading will be countersigued by WM. PUSTAU & Co., Agent.

Hongkong, September 5, 1877. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND BINGAPORE.

THE S. S. Hindostan, having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo by her are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding her discharge will be at

here for the above Port, and once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. DAVID BASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1877.

Mails.



STEAM FOR Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi, Ancons, Venice, Mediterranean Ports. Southampton. and London,

ALSO, Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

FINE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPARY'S Steam-ship PESHAWUR, Captain WHITE, will leave this on SATURDAY, the 8th September, at Noon.__.

For further Particulars, apply to A. LIND, Superintendent. Hongkong, August 28, 1877.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE.

AN COMMECTION WITH THE CENTRAL and UNION PACIFIC AND CONNECTING

RAILROAD COMPANIES ATLANTIC STRAMBRS,

THE S. S. "BELGIO" will be despatched for San Francisco via Yokohama, on MONDAY, the 10th Instant, at 8 p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers for Japan, the United States and Europe.

Connection is made at Yokohama, with Steamers from Shanghal. Freight will be received on Board until 4 p.m. of the 9th Instant. PARCEL

PAUKAGES will be received at the Office until 5 p.m. same day: all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required. Roturn Passage Tickets available for 6

months are issued at a reduction of 20 per cent, on regular rates. For further information as to Freight

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 87, Queen's Road Central. G. B. EMORY, Agent. Hongkong, September 3, 1877.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA. POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, 18MATLA, PORT SAID, NAPLES, AND MARSEILLES:

ALBO. PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CAL-CUTTA AND BOMBAY.

N SATURDAY, the 15th September, 1877, at Noon, the Company's S. TIGRE, Commandant LORNIER, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the

above places. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marsellies, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for

the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 14th September, 1877. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office.)

Contents and value of Packages are re-For further particulars, apply at the

Company's Office. H. DU POUEY, Hongkong, September 3, 1877.

U. S. MAIL LINE. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS, and roughing AT YOROHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U.S. Mail Steamer CITY OF TOKIO will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama, on THURS-DAY, the 20th Instant, 1877, at 3 P.M., taking Passengers, and Freight, for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Passenger Tickets and Bills of Lading are issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to ports in Mexico, Central and Bouth America, and to New York and Enrope VIA OVERLAND RAILWAYS.

A Steamer of the Mitsu Bishi S. S. Company will leave Shanghai, via the Inland Sea Ports, about same date, and make close connection at Yokohama. At Now York, Passengers have selection

of various lines of Steamers to England, France and Germany. Breight will be received on board until

4 p.m., 19th Instant. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be Canton. marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Overland Cargo should be sent to the Company's Offices in Scaled Envelopes, addressed to the Collector of Customs at San Francisco. For accurity's sake, Shippers of Overland Cargo are requested to endorse on the Envelope the Marks and Nos. of Packages

Shipped, to correspond with those in their Bills of Lading. For further information as to Passage

and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 9, Praya Central.

RUSSELL & Co., Agenti, Y. Escort, for Guera, Hangkong, September 4, 1877.

To-day's Advertisements.

NOTIOE. THENDERS for a new FORE-SAIL and TOP-SAIL for the S. S. "AM- $\overline{BO}TO$," will be Received at the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on SATUR-DAY, the 8th Instant.

MEYER & Co., Agents, S. S. Amboto. Hongkong, September 7, 1877.

FOR SHANGHAL The Steamship "NINGPO," IR. Cass, Master, will be despatched for the above Port TO-MORROW, Saturday, the 8th Instant,

at Noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, September 7, 1877.

FOR FOOCHOW. The Steamship NAGEL, Master, will be despatched for the above Port on MONDAY, the 10th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to siemššen & Co., Hongkong, September 7, 1877.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S. SURAT,_

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above- Staff-Surg. Fennell, R.M.—From Shanghal: named Vessels, from London, Bombay | for Singapore, Mr and Mrs Wilson, Mrs and Intermediate Ports, and in connection | Bilder, and Mr Ottson; for Venice, Messrs with the Steamer MALWA from Cal- A. Beau, J. W. Muller, A. S. Cordes, R. cutta, are hereby informed that their Goods | Anderson, P. MacG. Grant, and R. Nichol; are being landed and stored at their risk in the Company's Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery can be obtained from this

Goods not delivered by the 14th September will be subject to rent.

ADAM LIND, Superintendent Hongkong, September 7, 1877.

TO LET. THE DWELLING HOUSE in CAINE ROAD, at present in the occupation of H. DU POURY, Esq. Possession from 1st November next. Apply to

JOHN JACK, East Point. Hongkong, September 7, 1877.

NOTICE. TR. A. HAHN begs leave to inform his | Foschow and Amoy bound N. In Amoy numerous Patrons and the Public generally of Hongkong, that, by special R. C. Chento, H.M.S. Hornet, stra. Swatow, Q request, he has now OPENED his ESTAB-LISHMENT in this Colony at WANCHAI,

in the Premises lately occupied by the American Consul. MR HAHN trusts to be favored with the continued Patronage of the public, as he has lately received a NEW STOCK of RE-PAIRING MATERIALS, all of the best qualities, from England, France and Ger-

many. Inspection invited. Hongkong, September 7, 1877. TIANOS and any other Musical Instruments TUNED. REPAIRED. and RE-CONSTRUCTED. PIANOS ON HIRE, by the Month or

Occasionally. PIANOS FOR SALE, New and Second Hand, all in perfectly Good Order, Guaranteed.

Special Attention is invited to a new Grand Cottage PIANO, by Luders and Rübner, Zeitz-Just Received from Germany, and specially constructed for this climate to the order of the Undersigned. Orders from any of the Outports in the

East, will meet with prompt attention if Care of Mesers Liane, CRAWFORD & Co., Messra Gaupp & Co.

A. HAHN. Hongkong, September 7, 1877. Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay

in Hongkong Harbour:-TWILIGHT, British barque, Capt. Dalargy. -Jardine, Matheson & Co. NIMROD, British barque, Capt. Clark .--

FORMOSA, German 3-m. schooner, Capt. C. Schweer.—Melchers & Co. Ullock, British barque, Captain A. P. Goodman,—Borneo Co.

ANNIE S. HALL, American 3-m. schooner. Capt. Chas. H. Nelson .- Douglas Lapraik ABERLADY, British barque, Capt. Nicoll.

-Jardine, Matheson & Co. BEETHOVEN, German barque, Captain R. Haje. --- Melchers & Co. VISCOUNT MACDURF, British 3-m. schiner, Capt. Wm. Wright.—Borneo Co., Limited

CRETERION, American ship, Captain W. Lull.—Siemssen & Co. Woodville, British barque, Captain Nielsen.-Wm. Pustau & Co.

Assens, Danish barque, Captain F. Vandel.—E. Schellass & Co. DANUBE, British steamer, Captain A.

Clanchy. Yuen Fat Hong. Attenuation, British barque, Captain G. Cunningham -- Wieler & Co.

> SHIPPING. ' ARRIVALS.

Sept. 7. Ausens, Danish barque, 236, F. Vandel, Bangkok Aug. 28, Wood. -- EDUARD SCHELLHABS & Co. Sept. 7, Danubs, British steamer, 790 A. Clanchy, Bangkok Aug. 80, Rice and Sundries - YUEN FAT Hong.

Sept. ?, City of Tokio, American steamer. 5079, J. Maury, San Francisco Aug. 8 and Yokohama 31, Mails, \$281,521,50 Treasure, and 1,420 tons General. - P. M. S.S. Co. Sept. 7, Ningpo, British steamer, from

Sept. 7, Khiva, British steamer, 2609. Gso. Lee, Bombay Aug. 20, via Galle, Penang, and Singapore Sept. 2, Mails and General.-P. & O. S. N. Co. Sept. 7. Bonibay, British steamer, 740. R. F. Briscoe, Yoltohama Aug. 29, Mails

and General. P. & O. S. N. Co. Sept. 7, Namoa, British atsamer, 862, Westoby, Foothow Sept. 4, Amoy 5, and Swatow 0. General -- Douglas Larrain

DEPARTURES. Sept. 7, Annie S. Hall, for Keelung. 7, Yorkshire, for Yokohama, 7. Washi, for Holbow. 7. Khedive, for Amoy.

William Phillips, for Singapore. Glory, for Touron. Hailoong, for Amoy. Orion, for Newchwang. Ormoo, for Manila. Lowerwater, for Portland (Oregon). Michelle Selchan, for Newchwang. Ningpo, for Shaughai. Notre Dame de la Gardé, for Salgon. Rosa Bosttcher, for Guam. Norma, for Swatow.

PASSENGERS. Arrived.

Per City of Tokio, from San Francisco. Mrs W. T. Gair, Mr and Mrs O. C. Williams, Messrs H. S. Loring, F. Bowden, and 219 Chinese.

CLEARED.

Per Khiva, from Southampton, &c., Mrs and Miss Wells, Surgeon Lynch, R.N. Messrs Vasey, Bolster, Russell, Wright, Kellar, Yamadeva, and Ling Look.

Per Bombay, from Yokohama: for Hongkong, 3 Chinese; for Malta, 1 European Per Namoa, from Coast Ports, Messrs

Gilman, and Hurst, and 140 Ohlnese. Per Danube, from Bangkok, 80 Chinese, DEPARTED.

Per Washi, for Hollow, 2 Europeans, and 50 Chinese.

To DEPART. Per Peshawier, for Singapore, Arm.-Serg. Mrs Green. 3 children and 2 infants; for Madras, 2 Gun Lascars; for Southampton, Mr D. J. Thomson, R.N., J Master at Arms, 11 Seamen and Marines, R.N., S Marines and Stokers, R.N., and for Southampton, Mrs Cooper and 8 children, Messrs J. and G. Sadler.

Per Ningpo, for Shanghai, 2 Europeans, and 80 Chinese. Per Norna, for Swatow, 200 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Danube reports: Strong S.W. monsoon and thick rainy

weather throughout. The Danish barque Assens reports: Fine weather throughout with southerly winds. In China sea heavy swell from S.W. the last two days. The British steamer Bombay reports:

Moderate head winds throughout the passage. The British steamer Namoa reports: Moderate Southerly winds throughout. In Foochow: Strs. Europe, Athol, and R. C. Felhoo. Passed str. Douglas between -Str. Consolation (in dock). In Swatow:-

CARGOES

Tientein, and Howsang.

Per S. S. Nestor, Hongkong to London, sailed 5th September, 1877:—88,733 lbs. Canton Congou, 77,790 lbs. Canton Sc. Or. Pekce, 183,799 lbs. Canton Scented Caper, 17,740 lbs. Canton Sorts. - Total and 318,062 lbs. 365 pkgs. Preserves, 25 pkgs. Silk Piece Goods, 160 pkgs. Waste Silk,

and 279 pkgs. Sundries. Per S. S. Peshawur, for London, 32,900 boxes, 5,426 1-chests, 403 chests and 178 pkgs. Tea, 1,388 bales Raw Silk, 20 cases Silk Piece Goods, 61 bales Waste Silk, and 542 pkgs. Sundries. For Continent—281 bales Raw Silk. For America-1,775 boxes and 111 1-chests Tes, and 47 pkgs. Sundries.

PORT OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS will close:-

For AMOY AND TAMSUL --Per HAILOONG, at 11.30 a.m., on Saturday, the 8th inst.

For SHANGHAL.— Per NINGPO, at 11.30 a.m. To-morrow, the 8th inst. For SWATOW.--

Per NORNA, at 3.30 p.m. To-morrow, the 8th inst.

For BANGKOK. --Per DALE, at 4.30 pm., on Saturday, the 8th inst., instead of as previous-

ly notified. For YOKOHAMA.-Per SUNDA, at 5 p.m. To-morrow, the 8th inst.

For SHANGHAL -Per KHIVA, at 11 a.m., on Sunday, the 9th ivst. Late letters received from 11.10 to 11.30, with 18 cents late fee.

For FOOCHOW. Per OLYMPIA, at 11.30 a.m., on Monday, the 10th inst. For YOKOHAMA & SAN FRANCISCO. — Per BELGIC, at 2.30 p.m., on Monday,

the 10th inst., instead of as previously notified. For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-

Per HINDOSTAN, at 2.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 13th inst. Per VENICE, at 3.30 p.m., on Thursday, the 18th inst.

MAILS BY THE ENGLISH PAURET. --The English Contract Packet PESHA. WUR will be despatched with the Mails for Europe, &c., on SATURDAY, the 8th September.

The following will be the hours of closing the Malls, &c. :-Friday, the 7th September.— 5 r.M., Money Order Office closes. 6 r.m., Post Office closes except the Night

Hox. which remains open all night, Saturday, the 8th September. 7 A.M., Post Office opens for of Stamps, Registry of Letters, and Posting of all correspondence. 10 A.M., Post Office closes except for Late T. GAIR, of the Hongkong Central School Letters. Registry of Letters coases.

10.15 A.M., Letters may be posted with LATE Fam of 18 cents extra Postage till 11 A.M., when the Post Office Crosss [11.80 A.M., Letters (but Letters only

Via Brindisi, or to Singapore, may be posted on board the Packet with Lato Fee of 48 obits extra postage, 11.50 AM., When the Mail is finally Hongkong, August 28, 1877.

The United States Mail Packet OITY OF YOKIU will be despatched on THURS. States, which will be closed as follows:--2 F.M. Registry of Listers besses. 2,30 7.M. Post-Office closes. Hougkong, Soptember 6, 1877.

General Memoranda.

Monday, September 10:-Noon. -- Olympia leaves for Foochow. Sp.m.—Cooldental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco: Goods per Yorkshire undelivered after

this date subject to rent. Tuesday, September 11:-2p.m.—Sale of Household Furniture, &c., at Mr R. J. Mackenzie's residence, "Besuregard."

3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the China Traders' Insurance Co., Limited, at the Head Office, Hongkong.

THURSDAY, September 13:---2 p.m.—Sale of Household and Office Furniture, &c., at the office of the Comptoir d'Escompte de Paris. 3 p.m.—Hindostan leaves for S'pore, &c. 4 p.m.—Venice leaves for Singapore, &c. FRIDAY, September 14:--

Noon. -General Weekly Sale by Messra Lane, Crawford & Co. Goods per Surat, Khedive and Khiva undelivered after this date subject to rent. SATURDAY, September 15:-Noon.-French Mail leaves for Ports of

Call and Europe. THURSDAY, September 20:-3 p.m.-American Mail leaves for Yokohams and San Francisco.

SUNDAY, September 30:-Application for Shares in the North China Insurance Co. must be made on or before this date.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. Shipping.

Noon.—English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Noon.—Hailoong leaves for Amoy, &c. Noon.—Ningpo leaves for Shanghai. . Goods per Sindh undelivered after Noon,

subject to rent and landing charges. Tenders Close. Noon.—Tenders for new Balls for S. S.

Miscellaneous, Warrants for Bonus upon Contributions to the Union Ins. Society obtainable.

Amboto close.

Volume Sixth of the "CHINA REVIEW."

No. I.-Vol. VI. -OF THE-

IS NOW READY.

CONTAINS-

Chinese Studies and Official Interpretation in the Colony of Hongkong. Constitutional Law of the Chinese Empire. The Tang Hou Obl. A Modern Chinese

NoveL Chinese Primer. The Law of Inheritance. Short Notices of New Books and Literary Intelligence. Notes and Queries:-

Chinese Marriages. Studies in Words. The Educational Curriculum of the Restoration of the Old Sounds of the Chinese Language. Notes on Chinese Grammar.

Russian Sinologists. Assyria and China. The Word "Swallow," Corrigenda.—Chinese Studies and Official Interpretation in the Colony of Hong-

Hongkong, August 31, 1877. HONGKONG DISPENSARY

China Mail Office.

Established A.D. 1841.

A. S. WATSON & Co., FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS, 1MPORTERS

Dauggiers' Sundries, Nursery Requi SITES, Tollet Requisites, English, AMERICAN, AND FRENCH PATENT Medicines. MANUFACTURERS

Sods Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water, Mary. Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla Water, and other Aerated Waters. The Manufactory is under direct and

Hongkong, June 1, 1876. The publication of this issue commensed at 7.45 p.m.

continuous European Supervision.

BIRTH.

On August 27th, at Yokohama, Mr W.

aged 30. THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPT. 7, 1877.

addressed to the United Kingdom happen to be arrested, have to be discharged from custody on the ground of the invalidity of the warrants. There is every reason to believe the Colony will be shortly infested with these men. the whole of the deportation warrants DAY, the 20th September, with Mails issued during the last five years are for Japan, Ban Francisco, and the United invalid, under the decision of the Chief Justice, and the men against whom they soro impunity. The question is whether Fries.

here, or whether the Governor will issue fresh deportation warrants against them, and get rid of their objectionable presence as speedily as possible. The case of Chun Afook should prove a caution to His Excellency in the matter. This was the case during which the point of the validity of the warrants was first raised, and the Chief Justice ultimately gave a decision in the negative. Chun Afook was accordingly discharged from custody, and, refusing employment the Police Station as punkah-coolie at \$6 a month, he was allowed to roam about the Colony at his sweet will, the Governor apparently objecting to issue a fresh warrant against him for his redeportation, and giving, we believe, Chief of Police instructions to look after was again in custody, charged with committing a most impudent robbery. Considering that the man had been sentenced to six months' imprisonment for returning from the deportation, but escaped the sentence, as we have already stated, merely through a legal flaw in his warrant, it seems to us that common justice demanded the man's re-deportation. Bis Excellency, however, thought otherwise, ordered employment to be found for the man, and, on his refusing to ac- 27th ult. upon the Harbinger, which arrived cept the offer of a comfortable situation 28th. at \$6 a month, permitted him to again follow the bent of his will in the Colony, China paper, a short time since to the effect with the result that the rascal now that the second Chinese Envoy would probstands committed on a charge of boldly ably be appointed to Germany is well foundentering a house and walking off with the most convenient and valuable arti- proceed to that country as Chinese Miniscles discoverable. Surely this miserable failure of His Excellency's first and, so him of the danger of allowing the Colony to be over-run with this class of offenders. The first man he saved from a improve the shining hours by impudent robbery! There is other point in regard to these portation cases that has created some to be a useless and aimless hardship upon men apprehended here on deportation warrants. We allude to the placed on the charge sheet, i.e., brought before the Magistrates, without special instructions from head-quarters. _ The result so far of this order has been that eight or nine days have elapsed before the men have seen the face of a Magistrate. We presume that the men being aliens cannot expect to enjoy the sacred privilege of being brought before a Magistrate within twenty-four hours of their inflicted on a man by being locked up for a week or ten days. What the

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

object of the Governor is in the matter,

is rather difficult to divine.

to-morrow.

We have received several communications from correspondents, but the mail news necessitates our holding them over until

MESSES HEDGE & Co.'s Foochow Weekly Shipping Report, dated Sept. 1, gives :-Arrivals during the week .- August 25, Yesso from Hongkong; 26, Benledi and

Alice Mary, from Hongkong; 27, Glenroy and Han Kwang, from Shanghai; 27, Nestor from Shangbal. Departures during the week .-- Aug. 26, Fu Yew and Europe, for Shanghai; 28, Yesso for Hongkong, Glenroy for New York, and Mosquito for Tamsui; 30, Benledi for London; 31, Nestor for London,

and Han Kwang for Shanghai. Shipping in Port .- Crested Wave, Maid of Judah, Fel Ho, Killarney, and Alice

We have to warn the public against receive

ing certain bad dollars which appear to be

at present in circulation in Kobe in large numbers. They are "sun" dollars and all so far as we yet know, dated 1873 or 1874, followed by the letters M.H. They appear new, have what has been declared to be a spurious "chop" on one side, and not only may, but have already during the past few days deceived many people. They are nine At Hongkong, on the 6th September, the grains too light; defective in tone when Wife of W. G. HUMPHREYS, of a Daughter, rung (though not perhaps to the extent which might be expected from their real badnes;); in many, if not all cases, very imperfectly circular ; and in most again, if not at all, the D of the "Libertad" on the cap is bad-generally either too faintly impressed or of rather smaller size and leaning over at too great angle, as if the coast. die cutter had hardly allowed himself room

those returning will be permitted to stay | On the 2nd inst. a graceful act was performed on board the steamer Glenarines, in the presentation by the representative of the Messageries Company of a testimovial, consisting of a handsome and valuable chronometer, to the captain, and a pair of binoculars, to the chief officer, in acknowledgment of their gallantry in connection with the recent wreak of the Meikong. The chair was taken by Mr McGregor, of Mc-Gregor, Gow & Co., the owners of the steamer. After an excellent lunch had been partaken of, the testimonials were presouted by Mr Bremer to Captain Gulland and Mr K. J. Gasson (new captain of the Glenearn) respectively, with expressions on behalf of the M. M. Company of the warmest appreciation of the manner in which they had acted; and the compliment was heartily acknowledged by both gentlemen. Mr Gallatley, in proposing the health of the Mr McGregor, mentioned that the owners had refused to accept any pecuniary recoghis welfare; hence the offer of employ- inition for the services rendered, and in ment at the Police Station. Mark the replying, that gentleman stated that the Within a week Chun Afook Messageries Maritimes Company had Insisted on their agreeing to distribute a sum of £200 among the crew. Several compilmentary toasts were proposed, among them the health of Mr Toole, of the East and West India Dook Company, who, in responding, spoke very warmly of the conduct both of Captain Gulland and his officers, and also of the Messageries Maritimes Company. - L. & C. Express.

> (L. and C. Express, August 7th, 1877.) Fifty guineas premium was paid on the at Hong Kong, from Newcastle, on the

> We learn that the statement made in the ed, and that Liu-Tah Jen will shortly

During the past week the Chinese Envoys have visited the Alexandra Palace, and have far. only act of clemency in regard to also been to Wood Green, to the house of deported men is sufficient to convince Mr. T. B. Smithies, the Editor of the British Workman, where they met many members of the Society of Friends among them Mr. Thomas Hanbury, formerly of China. They were shown the prints and flogging has since been guilty of the most engravings for the British Workman and defiant and disorderly conduct, and has other philanthropic papers, and showed the had ultimately to be flogged; the first interest in literary matters characteristic man he saved from re-deportation, and of the Chinese. The works were presented made the object of much tenderness and to the Envoys and their suite by Mr. von compassion, has since endeavoured to Bunsen, the son of Baron von Bunsen, some years ago the Prussian Ambassador in London. Mr. Smithies stated that he felt he could not do better than select Mr. von Bunsen to hand the works to the Envoys as an acknowledgment of the manner in surprise and which seems to us, despite which the late Baron von Bunsen had the reputed mercy of His Excellency. assisted in establishing the papers for the benefit of the working classes. The Envoys expressed themselves much pleased with the visit, and appear to be taking a general interest in all matters illustrative recent order of the Chief of Police that of our ways and customs, and to be desirous men taken into custody on the charge of | not only of seeing our more prominent returning from deportation are not to be institutions, but of gaining an insight into the various phases of English life.

Police Intelligence.

(Before James Russell, Esq.) 7th Sept., 1877.

LARGENY FROM THE PERSON. Oho Asin, coolie, was charged by Lee Akew, a married woman, with stealing two rolls of silver from the basket of the comarrest. In the event, for instance, of a plainant, who got this money by selling her case of mistaken identity-which is ex- pigs and was returning home with it. The tremely likely to occur in such cases—a prisoner stole the bundle from the basket very considerable hardship would be and ran away but was caught by a Chinese Lokong. The prisoner denied that he stole the money, and urged that he was hungry, and as there was rice in the basket he took some to eat. Six months' hard

labour. Wong Aling, a coolie, was charged with stealing a piece of cloth from the house of a woman living in Tung Man Lane. Three

months' hard labour, HARD DRINKING. John Johnson, seaman British Ehlp James Shepherd, was charged with being drunk in the street. He walked up to the Station quietly enough. The defendant appeared: to be in a state of inciplent delirium tremens,

and was therefore remanded till the 10th inst. BREACH OF CONDITIONAL PARDON. Wong Achee, a dyer, was again brought up for having returned to the Colony in violation of the terms of his conditional pardon. The prisoner admitted that he was branded and deported on his own petition, and urged that he came here because his mother was very sick and was likely to die. The Magistrate committed him to prison to undergo the residue of his sentence, that is the period he had been

conditionally pardoned, viz. 62 days. THE LEPER NUISANCE. Lai Achung, a leprous mendidant, was found begging for alms at Queen's Road Central. The defendant said he was infirm and could not work. He came here three days ago. He went from Tamshul to Kowloon, thence he crossed over to Victoria. The Magistrate ordered him to be sent to his native place.

Japan: (Mails, Atigust 25th) The Minister of Foreign Affairs resided yesterday a communication from the Japanese Agents in Korea to the effect that a treaty has been completed with the Korean Government relative to the treatment of the crews of vessels wrecked upon that

The following letter was addressed by to complete the word. In our office may the rebel Commander Saigo to his followers. be seen, in four phials, the result of the He seems at last to have concluded that reduction by similar acid of portions of a the war must very soon come to an end :-good dollar, of a Japanese 5-cent piece of "Through your determination and bravery His Excellency the Governor intends pure copper and of these bad dollars. The we have fought for the past half year. At doing in regard to men returning to this solution in the first two instances is a very first there was every prospect of our stocess Colony from deportation and who, if they pale green, in the case of the copper pure but our strength having gradually failed, blue, and in the case of the bad dollar we are now in a state of great distribut, approaching so closely the dark colour of having hardly any position where to make the copper solution as to show totighly how a stand. Our troops have been as effective much of that metal is present. There can as those of our opponents, but we have also be seen half of the particular bad dollar been overmatched, and hence the present which was operated upon. It is much to crisis. The enemy will not let this present From anything we know to the contrary be feared that many of these dollars have opportunity alip, but will undoubtedly been taken lately by unwary persons before advance against its in order to try and the fraud was detected, for it is already brush us. Therefore make up your minds tolerably clear that the swindle has been for still further zeal in our cause, die in conducted upon an extensive scale. At advancing and not retreating, an that no present, however, we confine ourselves to taint of disgrace may be attached to but are issued can return to the Colony with placing the public on their guard. - Hioge names hereafter. This is my defical

THE INSURRECTION IN JAPAN.

(Japan Mail, Aug. 25th.) The last ten days seems to have brought unvarying success to the Imperial forces. terminating with the fall of Nobeoka and the utter rout of Saigo and his troops. According to native accounts over ten thousand of the insurgents have surrendered since the taking of this last stronghold, few of their most devoted followers, have returned to Kurukdars. broken through the Imperialist lines and to arrive at any clear idea of the present expired. state of affairs, and useless to hazard con-It is quite possible that large scattered bodies of the insurgents will be enabled to keep up a guerilla warfare for some time to come, but there can be little doubt that, for the present, the worst is over. There is again rumoured agitation in Tosa, and several prominent men of that province have been arrested and sent to Tokio for examination. The coast of Bungo is also being carefully watched. probably with a view of preventing the escape of Saigo or any of his followers into

of Nanatsuyama, which was supposed to indicate a general attack by the Imperialists. In such a case Saigo has probably again concentrated his forces at that point.

LATE TELEGRAMS.

(Straits Times Extra.) Bombay, Aug. 16.-The Home Government being informed of the wreck of the Melkong, the Secretary of State requested the Bombay Government by telegraph to direct the Aden authorities to send the Quangtung or other available vessel to report, and if necessary, to protect the property of the Meikona.

London, Aug. 17 - Dervish Pasha announces indecisive fighting at Batoum. court-martal has commenced sitting on Abdul Kerim Pasha and Redif Pasha. A Turkish official despatch states that a Russian reconnoitring party unsuccessfully attacked the Turks at Kaslar and were defeated and compelled to fall back on Keserova with a loss of 500 killed and wounded. The Royal Warrant respecting army promotion was only signed on the 18th instant. During the last fortnight it has been materially modified in favour of , the purchase officers.

OBITUARY.—Sir John Farquhar. London, Aug. 18.-A Russian Imperial irade has been issued, calling out for military service all men capable of bearing arms, who were hitherto exempt. General Gourko has gone to St. Petersburg to bring the Imperial Guard to the seat of war. Colonel Wellesley has returned to the

Russian head-quarters. London, Aug. 18 .- The Mansion House Famine Relief Fund is rapidly increasing. Lord Northbrook has presented £500, and the Rothschilds' and Baring Brothers' Several Mayors are responding to the appeal of the Madras Committee, and have called meetings for the 13th instant. Suleiman Pashs, with his army has arrived. at Elena, north of the Balkans. Salonica has been placed in a state of siege. General Marsky supersedes General Melikoff (as Russian commander-in-chief in Armenia). Poti has been deserted. Hobart Pasha is at Sinope. The Circassian emigration to

Turkey is increasing.

London, Aug. 19 .- the Russian Imperial Guard has crossed the Danube. Skirmishing has occurred in the vicinity of Rustchuk. A Turkish official despatch states that a detachment of the garrison of Rustchuk has repulsed a detachment of Russians. A Turkish force landed in the Dobrudscha on the 17th inst. The Russians are advancing against it. It is expected that the Egyptian troops will shortly attack the Russian positions along the Kustendii railway. According to a Russian official despatch, a Russian reconnaisance has been repulsed by a strong Turkish force on the Osman Bazaar Road. A Turkish official despatch from Batoum states that Dervish Pasha has carried the advanced Russian positions.

London, Aug. 20 .- The Russian force, consisting of 35,000 infantry, ten regiments of cavalry and 110 gurs attacked Ahmed Muktar Pacha on the 18th instant near Kars. The engagement lasted the whole day and eventually the Russians were defeated and were compelled to fall back with a loss of 1,200 men; the Turkish loss being only one hundred. The Russians have re-cocupied Kustendjie.

London. Aug. 20.—The mobilization of two divisions of Russian grenadiers and one of cavalry has been ordered. The Russians have strongly occupied the line of communication between Tirnova and Schipka

Alexandria, August 20.—The Nile been stationary for four days its level is fourteen feet below the average for the past three Years.

strongly hold the schipks Pass. Suleiman Pasha has made a recommandance of the Hankoi Pass and has found that the Russians are strongly entrenched. According to a Russian official despatch, the Turks were repulsed.

()BITUARY.—Ross Mangles (a well-known Indian Official).

London, Aug. 21.-Russian unofficial accounts confirm the attack of General Melikoff on the 18th instant, when after capturing the first line of the enemy's entrenchinents, the Russians fell back on their former positions. Both combatants lost many killed and wounded. The Russians have occupied a position between Lovatz and Selvi. A despatch from Mehemet Ali Pasha states that a heavy skirmish has occurred near Eskidiuma. General Gourko lost 4000 men during his retreat from the Schipka Pass. The Turks are preparing for winter campaign.

London, Aug. 22,-The Prince of Wales has subscribed 500 guiness to the Mansion House Madr. s Famine Relief Fund. Pasha Baker commands the Turkish Cavalry force, and is reconnoitering in Eulgaria. Suleiman Pasha has occupied Schinks town, which the Russians have abandoned. The Porte is concentrating 50,000 militia in Bulgaria as an army reserve.

London, Aug. 22. The Mansion House famine fund has reached \$17,009. The

telligence shows that Sulleman Pacha has the upper hand for once, and were deter- meet with general enthusiasm. Kassaulik on the 19th instant. A Russian the most of it. They advanced in swarms most important news from the seat of war atrocities made against Russian troops. official despatch describes the affair on the through the dusk on their original positions is the occupation of Selvi by the Turks: 18th instant, as a demonstration against and captured Russian cannon before the This exposes Tirnova and the Passes. from the movements of General Tergukas- shells began once more to whistle over the of provisions and ammunition. Rustchuk sow. After a prolonged engagement, chiefly ridge above Radishova and fall into the is no longer invested from the land side,

sixteen miles from this town is a famous The badly wounded mostly lay where they that his forces are scattered to protect all would not seem to be over as far as temple Mundur, where, during the festival, fell. Later, in the darkness, a baleful sort Christians in various places against the fighting. The latest reports an devotees perform several kinds of absurd of "krankentræger" swarmed over the bat- certainty of massacre. nounce that hostilities are expected to re- penances. In consequence of a vow made, | the shape of Bashi-Bazouks who commence in Owake ken, and it is also a lad out his throat yesterday, expecting spared none. Lingering on the ridge till Pasha Chief of Artillery, and Blum Pasha feared that Kumamoto will again become a that the wound would be healed up instant. the moon rose, the staff could hear from Commander of Varna. Both are Prussians, battlefield. From the statements that come ly by the grace of the god Kandaswami, below on the still night air the cries of pain | Suleiman Pasha occupied Kasanlik on to us from the native papers, it is impossible but to the horror of the lookers-on, he and entreaties for mercy. It was, indeed, Sunday, and thereby has access to Schipka

NEWS BY THE AMERICAN MAIL.

The P. M. S. S. City of Tokio, Captain Maury, with San Francisco files to the 8th August, arrived this morning.

WAR NEWS.

THE TURKISH VICTORIES. from London says: A correspondent at say that when a company was told off to met Ali prevented from effecting a junction Vienna telegraphs that the Russian defeat cover somewhat the wounded in Radishova by the forces under General Gourko, which at Plevna was owing to their being flanked it had to be made up of men of several were meanwhile to establish themselves consist of 48 battalions of infantry, 15 bat-The latest reports in the native papers at Lievan was uning at Turkish divistate that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divistate that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the rear by a Turkish divithe state that a telegram despatched by Police and attacked in the Inspector Murata from Owaka, at 10 p.m. slon of artillery, which moved down the the ridge, leaving it littered with groaning | would have been in no danger of failure or on the 24th instant, announces severe fight. Muscovites by hundreds. The Russians men, and moving gently lest we should serious interruption. The promenade across were completely routed, but managed to tread on prostrate wounded, we lost our the Danube and over the Balkans, while firing was heard also from the direction save their cannon. Osman Pasha admits that way, as we had lost our army. We could the Turks remained idle in their camps and both sides lost enormously. The military find no rest for the soles of our feet by real fortresses, was perhaps sufficient to justify authorities at the Austrian capital ascribe son of the alarms of Bashi-Bazouks swarm- | the idea of the Russians that they had only the victory partly to the superiority of the ing in among the scattered and retreating to advance to insure that the Turks should over the inferior order of gun used by the having been in the saddle since 6 on the Russians into the fatal ambush of Plevna Russians. After the victory, Osman Pasha | previous evening, we turned into a stubble | a fortnight ago, and which on Tuesday last directed one detachment of his troops to held, and making a bed of reaped grain sent an inferior force to avenge that disadvance toward Gabrova to dislodge the correspondent and Cossack alike rested aster on a victorious army in fortified posi-Russians from the northern opening of under the stars. But we were not even tions. The result is that all is chaos again, the Skipks Pass. Another force was des- then allowed to rest before the slarm came | so far as our knowledge of the situation is fortress at that place.

> the Russians, announced in last night's | sent word in the morning that he had lost | been checked in their campaign, and candespatches, is the latest of a series of severely and could make no headway, and not made any progress until they have Tirnova on account of the difficulty in proreverses sustained by the invading army in resolved to fall back on the line of the shaken off Mehemet Ali and Osman Pasha European Turkey, resembling, in many River Osma. There had been talk of his from their flanks; and, meanwhile, Gourko's the Roumanian side of the river. respects the disasters in which the Russian | troops being fresh, and of renewing the task south of the Balkans is rendered more campaign in Asia Minor terminated.

at Oltenitza, in a letter dated July 27th, troops to attack with. The most moderate | The Roumanian Railway is monopolized by | sian gunboats and destroyed two of them. gives an account of the rapid succession of estimate is that we have lost two regiments | the despatch of reinforcements from the oussian defeats, preceding and up to the say 5000 men, out of our three brigades. camp of reserves at Kischeneff. It is al- praising Russia's great feats of war in Bulfirst repulse of the Russians at Plevna, This takes no account of General Krudener's leged that Debrudscha will be almost wholly garia, are now stating that they always did against which they sent a force of 12,000 losses. Not a Russian soldiers stands be evacuated, and that Zimmerman's corps say that the Russian campaign was very ultimo, with heavy loss. The defending army in Loreca and Plevna, and only a army. The Czar has decreed fresh levies | A London correspondent of a New York force consisted of 18,000 men, but with a weak division of the Eleventh Corps stands at home. All of which means that the which the attack was conducted, soon ena- as wrecked, as no longer for this campaign and that the Turks will be crushed, if there intrigue with Russia and Austria, in expecbled the Turks to take the offensive, and to to be counted as a fighting interger. It is is power in Russia to crush them. The tation to influence the latter to consent to rout the Russians and capture their not more than ten days since the Thirtieth Turkish plan is believed to be for Osman the passage of Russian reinforcements then given from the Russian headquarters superb condition. Now, what of it is left Mehemet Ali to advance westward upon advantage on the Turkish left flank. Ausfor the capture of Plevna, and General is demoralized and shattered. So, on this Tirnova, while Suleiman Pasha endeavors tria wavers in the presence of uncertainty of Krudener, with his Ninth Corps, was side of the Balkans, there remains but the to force the Russian position at Kazanlik; action on the part of the British Governdefeated body, with instructions to renew at Nikopolis and once at Plevna; one his left flank to the risk of being turned to let the Turks fight it out, their successes the attack. Turkish commander, Osman division of the Eleventh Corps, and the from the direction of Nikopolis, thus having much relieved the embarrassment of Pasha, instead of following up the pursuit Rustchuk army. Now, if the Rustchuk facilitating the Russian plan of pivoting on the Ministry. Banks have presented £1,000 each to the ing their intention to renew the assault on then the Turkish army of Rustchuk is let the Balkans. Mehemet Ali would incur and his strong ground, and quietly awaited Tirnova. One cannot avoid the conclusion Rustchuk and Rasgrad, while Suleiman the second attack. The Russians in the that the advance over the Balkans is severe- Pasha mustattack the Russians in positions meantime made every effort to bring up | ly compromised, Russian scattered detach- of their own choice. It is supposed that 60,000 men. The operations, however, two ago at Nikopolis, has been called up to skilful handling, serve to keep the Russians ready to meet them The attack was not begun until July 29th, and continued single infantry battalion. through the 31st, also resulting finally in the reverse which seems so ominous for the

> The correspondent, in the letter above referred to, speaks of various other encounters, but of a preliminary nature, in which the Russians were badly beaten; but no particulars of these affairs, nor indeed the fact that such have occurred, is permitted by the Russian authorities to be telegraphed, so jealously do they guard against the transmission of reports of events resulting so unfavorably to their troops The defeated Russians are now falling back upon their centres, disheartened, and at length thoroughly convinced by these severe lessons that their march to Constantinople is to be by no means an easy one. The Czar, who, though always making a great show of confidence, is the reverse of sanguine, and is overwhelmed with grief at

these disasters. Chicago, Aug. 3 .- A Tribune London special says: The recent movements of the Turks denote a military policy quite different from that which prevailed three weeks ago. It is now the Turks who concentrate, while the Russians have reason to regret that they have permitted themselves to distribute their corps over too wide an area! For the past ten days Tirnova has been the point toward which the various Ottoman Armies have been sending to converge. Thither Osman Pasha was moving when London, Aug. 21.—The Russians still General Schilderschuldner met him near Plevna. To the same point Mehemet Ali is said to be marching, with a strong column, from Eski Juna and Osman Bazar. From the south, Suleiman Pasha has advanced to Jenisagra, to push the Russians back into the Skipka Pass and compel them to surrender. It is a masterly plan, and hitherto extraordinarily successful. Further details of the battle between Loftcha and Plevna are arriving to-night, and confirm the sccount of your correspondent. The defeat inflicted upon General Krudener's army. which formed about one-sixth of Russian forces south of the Danube is most momentous. The Turks chose a position naturally strong and wisely fortified it with defensive works of every kind, so that their troops fought under a shelter. The Russians were led on to attack them where they were protected in their trenches, and fell by thousands. The latest report places the total killed at 6000.

London, Aug. 8 .- A correspondent sends from Poredin, near Plevna, a graphic account of Tuesday's battle which conveys a vivid idea of the extent of the Russian disaster. The correspondent is with Prince Schackoskoys' command :--

And now all hope of success anywhere was dead, nor did the chances offer to make remainder go to reinforce the army of the cate with the army of the Lower Danube. the best of deleas. Prince Schackoskoys Caucasus, Another ukase, signed by the Col. Wellcoley arrived in London on Suns derest treatment for three long months to

while Saigo and Kirino, accompanied by a falling on the artillery, the Russians have village below, now crammed with wounded. and communication with Shumla was opened. Batticalou, Aug. 23, 12.46 p.m.—About painful way over the ridge were incessant. General Gouko has sent word to Tirnova

> an hour to wring the sternest heart. We and Triavna Passes. stayed there to learn, if it might be, what patched in the direction of Nikopolis, to | that the Bashi-Bazouks were upon us, and | concerned, and that the news despatches engage the Roumanians garrisoning the we had to rouse and tramp away. The from the front are full of panicky or exag- when peace might be concluded they might his position, wisely fell back on his reserves loose on the Russian communications to the same danger from the Russians between what they intended should be an over- ments have been called up from Roumania, the Turkishplan does not look very promiswhelming force, and their next attack was and the Roumanian division, commanded ing, unless the Russians aid it by mistakes made with a body amounting in all arms to by General Manu, which crossed a day or like those at Plevna; but it may, with took much time, which the wily Turkish | the line of the Osma River. We are falling | in check until the campaigning season commander occupied in preparing to receive | back on Bulgareni with all speed, leaving over, which would be for the Turks the the attack, by increasing his force and Bulgarian villages to the tender mercies of next thing to absolute victory. strengthening his position, and when the the Turks. As I close, I learn that on our Russians advanced, he hadfully 50,000 men | left General Skobelloff was very severely | to a terrible strain on their resources to

> > London, Aug. 2.-A St. Petersburg despatch says that in addition to the reserves which, since the commencement of the war, have been continuously sent southward, the whole Imperial Guard has been ordered to proceed to Bulgaria. The first detachment will start in a few days.

London, Aug 4.—A despatch from Sukum-Kaleh, August 2d, says:-The Turkish frigate Nianmadich bombarded the Russian | Power, and that Austria, instigated by Gerbatteries at Tcharutcihra on the 30th ultimo silending every Russian gun. The Russia to secure peace. Nianmadich was considerably damaged and

several of the crew were killed and wounded. completes the withdrawal of the Turkish tion. military expedition to the Caucasus. Hobart Pasha has command of the entire Black Sea forces, consisting of twenty

men-of-war and transports. A correspondent hears from Constantinople that reinforcements are daily arriving and being immediately despatched to

Adrianople. A Bucharest correspondent, reviewing the situation, says he thinks the panic in. Roumania g cundless. The Plevna defeat

will certainly be retrieved. Discussing the Russian chance of holding their positions in the Balkans, if obliged to announced that it has been decided to form retire to them, the Times' correspondent, a camp of seventy thousand men near the who recently passed through the Schipa Pass, telegraphs that it is strongly occupied and fortified. There are already in it many fleet at Besiks Bay, has visited the fortitrains of provisions and forage. Prince Mireky and Gen. Gourko might hold it for

a fortnight on full rations. The Chicago Tribune's London special says :- To retrieve the great disaster at Loftcha and Plevna has now become an wounded imperative necessity for the Russian Commander-in-Chief for reasons political as well as strategical. Gloomy forebodings fill the Russian press, and the people are haunted with the dread of coming evil. It may be taken for granted that the Russian Government will place the last regiment in the field. There is a prospect of one of the most fiercely-contested warn Europe has

The Channel squadron has been ordered south to Vigo.

mobilization of the entire corps of the mands \$5,000 men. Supply depots have Imperial Guard and several other divisions. | been established at Rahova and Glavus, and The major portion of the Imperial Guard he has been able to detach a flying column had not a man left to gover the retreat. Oner at Biele, on July 22d, orders a levy day, and had interviews with Lords Boan come "-- Free Frees.

THE CHINA MAIL.

Mehemet Ili has appointed Raschid

London, August 5.—The first movement troops were coming up the valley of the of the Russians toward carrying out the shadow of death below, or whether there | plan of campaign heretofore foreshadowed as were, indeed, any at all to come. The the one likely to be selected has resulted in Turks had our range before dark, and we | the disaster of Plevna. The purpose of the could watch the flash of flame over against Russian Generals obviously was to feel us and then listen to the scream of a shell around their right and left wings to a line as it tore by us. The sound of rifle bullets | parallel with the Balkans, taking Tirnova was incessant, and escort and retreating as the pivot, and thus force Osman Pasha wounded were struck. A detachment at and Mehemet Ali back across the mountains length began to come straggling up, but it on their respective lines of retreat. This New York, Aug. 3.—The Herald's special | will give an idea of the disorganization to | accomplished, and Osman Pasha and Mehe-Henry-Martini rifle, used by Turkish troops, Russians. At length at 1 in the morning, retreat. It was this feeling which led the

only protection of the chief of what in the gerated rumors, dictated by the hopes or dictate the conditions on the basis of accom-New York, Aug. 3.—The Times' special | morning was a fine army was now a handful | fears of either side. But the salient fact | from London says: The crushing defeat of of wearied Cossacks. General Krudener is unquestioned that the Russians have attack to-day with his cooperation; but it and more serious daily by the concentration in the naval engagement on the Sulina river, A correspondent of the New York Times is a plain statement of fact that we have no and organization of Suleiman Pasha's forces. men, which was repulsed on the 19th tween Tirnova and the victorious Turkish will return, via Sistova, to the central faulty in conception and execution. great advantage in position, which, added between Tirnova and the Shumla army. military promenade has been turned into Turks have upset the calculations of Bisto the slovenly or over-confident manner in 1 look on Prince Schackskoy's force an affair of life or death for the Russians, marck, who is now actively engaged in an baggage trains. Imperative orders were Division crossed the Danube in the pride of Pasha to fight his way eastward and for through Servian territory to a position of hurriedly ordered forward to reinforce the Ninth Corps, already roughly handled, once but in doing this Osman Pasha must expose ment, while the latter is evidently anxious of the retiring Russians, apparently divin- army is marched to the west against Pievna, Tirnova, and forcing him to retire behind

> Both Rusia and Turkey are submitting | handled, having lost 300 men out of his | win a decided advantage in this campaign. Meantime, it would seem from apparently

> > rapine by Bashi Bazouks, Bulgarians and Cossacks, that the war is fast assuming a character of savage crueity, which threatens to make it a war of extermination for all the inhabitants of the territory involved, whether Christian or Mohammedan. Chicago, August 5 .- The Times' London special says: It is asserted that Russia is

well authenticated reports of murder and

trying to secure intervention by some third many, will lend her influence in aiding A Pera correspondent asserts that Sulei-

man Pashais pushing the Russians and will Near Tcharutcihra were 6000 Turks in a annihilate them. It is thought that the oritical position, owing to the advance of Turkish armies in the north are crossing the Russian army. Hobart Pasha embarked the Russian line, with every prospect of time last year. Of this last quantity 1,100 this entire force safely on the 1st instant, success. Only intervention or a miraculous under cover of the guns of the fleet. This victory will save the Russians from destruc-

German sentiment is growing hostile to England, and high authority at Berlin says that her policy as to the occupation of the Dardanelles will not be permitted.

London, August 6.-An official despatch, published in St. Petersburg, admits the loss of upwards of 5000 men at Plevna, including one Colonel killed and a Major-General and two Colonels wounded. The despatch admits that General Courko has been obliged to retrest.

Constantinople. August 6.—It is officially Capital.

Admiral Hornby, commanding the British fications of Gallipoli.

London, August 6.-A telegram from Bucharest announces that Mehemet Ali and Osman Pasha have defeated the Russians at Tirnoys, with a loss of 15,000 killed and

Constantinople. August 6 .- The Austrian Ambassador had a confidential audience on Saturday with Kateria Bey, President of the Council of State. The latter is said to have intimated that the Porte, in spite of the late successes, was firmly convinced that war [I'll tell the truth, your Honour. I'm having If Russia only demanded autonomy for care a cent what becomes of me." It's

Porte would agree to make peace. St. Petersburg, August 4th.-A ukase Pasha at Plevna is now satisfactory, and

Queen has subscribed £500. Later in The Turks struck without stint. They kad of 188,600 of the landwebr. The levies consiled and Derby. A despatch from not crossed the Balkans; he passed through mined to show that they knew how to make . Vienna, August 5th Strategically, the explain the groundlessness of the charges of Telegrams from Constantinople report that a portion of the Turkish Batoum army is Ahmed Mukhtar Pasha, to divert attention batteries could be withdrawn. Turkish General Gourko's Corps is said to be short embarking for Varna, to reinforce Mehemet confidence in the strength of Mukhtar Pasha's central column and positions to

> Melikoff's second invasion. Athens, August 7 .- Many villages in the district of Volo have refused to pay taxes. The Turks have placed six guns before the gates of Volo, and threaten to bombard the town on the first sign of insurrection. Great uneasiness prevails in Thessaly and Epirus. London, August 7 .- The Porte has issued

> throw upon it the entire burden of resisting

a circular recounting the horrible massacres perpetrated by the Cossacks and Bulgarians. These include the burning alive of seventy Mussulmans of the village of Ayukelmi and the cold-blooded massacre of forty others, a well as women and children. The circular declares that the English military attaché has ascertained the truth of the allegations. London, Aug. 7 .- The Russians are concentrating in great force on the Lom river

An attack on Rasgrad, which is situated between Shumla and Rustchuk, is thought imminent. According to official news from Constantinople, Mehemet Ali intends to convert Rasgrad into a fortified camp. The forces concentrating in the neighbourhood

Mehemet Ali's appointment has infused a new spirit of activity everywhere. Suleiman Pasha's success at Eski-Sagra is now admitted, and it is stated that the Russians were pursued by the Turkish forces far as Haisbaghay, and that the pass is already occupied by a Turkish General. This reverse will, doubtless, confirm Grand Duke Nicholas in his intention to convert the campaign from a political into a mere military one. It has been the plan of the Russians, hitherto to occupy a large tract of land, and the greatest number of towns possible in the enemy's country, so that

There is some want of provisions among the Russian troops between Sistova and ouring wagons to transport supplies along A despatch from Constantinople says that

the Turkish ironclads attacked seven Rus-The correspondents, who were recently

paper believes that the successes of the

COMMERCIAL.

September 7th. A steady business has been done in Bengal Opium during the past fortnight. The rate for both kinds of new drug has been fully maintained, whilst latterly a slight advance has been obtained as the exchange still more weakened. Though a very full supply of Benares has been received by the direct steamers, the demand for the drug | 27. Kate Carnie. at the Coast Ports has continued good, and | 30, C. R. Bishop, has so far supported the rate for it here. The present quotations are \$5922 for Patna June and \$580 for Benares.

Of Old Patna but a few chests have been taken at \$587\ to \$590. The receipts for the month, so far, show an aggregate of 2,275 chests, against 3,614 chests to the corresponding date last year. During the interval under notice some 700 chests have been taken by the local consumers against 350 chests at the corresponding fortnight last year. The great disparity in 14. Helicon, the quantities here shewn may be explained away by the fact that at the corresponding period last year a much larger supply held by the importers, coupled with the then stringency in the money market, made the native dealers rather cautious in operating. The available supply on date is computed at 2,150 chests, against 4,000 chests same

chests were Benares, of which kind the

present stock consists of 650 chests.

AT THE DETROIT COURT .- " I don't think ever saw you here before," mused the 17. Madagascar (s.), Court, as Samuel Grover walked out. "No, 18, Carl Ritter, I guess not, for I arrived here from Mexico | 25. Globe, only yesterday." "Did, ch? Was Disz well when you left?" "He seemed to feel all right." "What part of Mexico are you from, Mr Grover?" "From-from-from __" "Don't be in a hurry, Mr Grover. If you have forgotten the name of the town I'll wait till it occurs to you. It wasn't the town of Podunk, was it?" "That's the town - that's the place," replied the prisoner, his anxious look giving way to a 4. Hermann, smile of relief. "Reaching this city from the town of Podunk. Mexico, after leaving. President Dias in the best of health, you tried to put a man out of his own corner grocery, and was arrested while throwing bricks at a hod carrier. That's about it, isn't it, Mr Grever!" The prisoner made no reply, and after a long silence he suddenly asked :- "Judgo, wouldn't it be better to own up that I live on Twelfth-street, and that I got drunk because my wife wanted a divorce?" "I knew that all the time, Mr Grover, but if you prefer to hall from Merico, why, I can't help myself." "Well, was really a misfortune for the whole world. heaps of trouble with my wife, and I don't Bulgaria under Christian Governors, the him that's made all the trouble !" screamed a female voice from near the door. "Let According to the latest intelligence from | me get through this browd and tell the Turkish sources, the position of Osman judge what a vagabone, villain, liar, and mean man that fellow is." "Say three has been issued ordering the immediate with the cavalry reinforcements he com- months, judge!" whispered the priconer, | heading for the corridor. "Three it is!" When the woman reached the bar her husband was seated on the back of a chair and some of the divisions are to join the to Hafiz Pasha by the post cross-roads to in the corridor, picking his teeth with a army in Bulgaria without delay. The Selvi, This column is intended to communi- sliver, and as he caught his wife's eye he said softly! "Plenty to est and the ton-

Quotations. Hongrong, September 7, 1877. OPIUM. New Patna, cash....\$5923 Old Patna, cash,... 5921 New Benares, cash, 5821 Old Benares, cash, 570 New Malwa, cash, credit. 610 Tiels, 8 a 32 Allowance Old Malwa, Taels, 8 a 32 Allowance QUICKSILVER, ... Exchange. 30 days' sight, ... 3/101 6 months' sight, ... 3/111

Bank, on demand, 8/10 Documentary, 6 months' sight,... 3/11# Bombay, demand Rupees, ... 221 Calcutta, Shanghal, demand, ... 30 days'.... Bar Silver, 17, dwts. B., Mexicans, ... Gold Leaf. English Sovereigns, Australian Sovereigns. ... Discount, Shares.

Union Ing. Society of Canton, \$900 China Traders' Ins. Co., \$2,900 Chinese Insurance Co., \$2521 Yangtasa Ins. Association, Tis. 765 North Ohina Ins. Co., Th. 860 H.K. Fire Ins. Co., \$650 China Fire Ins. Co., \$167 H.K. & W. Dook Co., 18 dis. H.K. C. & M. S.-boat Co., 14 dis. Shanghai Steam Navigation, Tls. 80 Hongkong Gas Co., \$75 nom. Hongkong Hotel Oc., \$60 Chinese Imperial Loan, £103

Temperature. (Taken at Messrs Falsoner & Co.'s Premise., Queen's Road.)

Пом	ekong, September	7. 1877.
	er 9 A.M	
Do.		80.034
Do.	4 P.M	30.004
	eter-9 a.m	
Do.	1 P.M	
Do.	4 P.M	
Do.	(Wet bulb) 9 A.B	a. 81
Do.		
Do.		
	Maximum	86 <u>1</u>
Do.	Minimum over ni	ght 81
-		

Shipping Intelligence. The following is corrected from the latest London and Colonial Papers :-VESSELS TO ARRIVE.

AT HONGKONG. Cardiff (Brest Feb.23 Sunderland v. S'pore New York - Abtrea. Cardiff for Canton Cardiff Antwerp Cardiff Hamburg Liverpool 10. David, Antwerp Antwerp 11. Naworth. Cardiff Melbourne

Liverpool Hamburg Penarth 19. Melurine. Penarth 26. Martha Jackson. Liverpool Alexandra. London **Falmouth** Penarth 2. Marco Polo. Hamburg

London 4. Melbrek. 4. Faugh-a-Ballaugh, London Rhuddlan Castle, Cuxhaven F'dinand Brumm, Portsmouth London Elmstone, Cardiff Candidate. Penarth Dartmouth, Cardiff Denbighshire, for Amoy Cardiff Cardiff 18. Henry Lippett. New York

Cardiff 19. Lord of the Isles. London Penarth 25. R. C. Rickners. London v. Newport

7. City of Limerick (a), London 10. Agamemnon (s.). 10, Niagara, Coxhaven Liverpool 11. Horsa, Oardiff | Livernool 14. Abernyte. London Deal

New York 5. Abbey Cowper, London 12. Edward Barrow. Antworn . 19. Norman Court. Gravesend London 9. Birchvale, New York Cuxhaven 14. Adolph, Glasgow 30. Hopewell, Leander. 11, Golden State. New York New York

AT AKOY. Swansea

AT CHEFOO. Cardiff (Spk'nJune24

Newcastle (N.S. W.) LOADING FOR CHIMI AND JAPAN PORTS. At London.—Steamers via Sues Canal. Braemar Castle. Glenartney. Glenfinias. Radnorshire. Glenearn Benarty. Bailing Vessels.

Rutlandshire. Titania. Agnes Muir. Felix Mendelssohn, Falcon. Johann Smidt. ... At Liverpool,

Ulyanen (n.)

Insurances.

HAMBURG-MAGDEBURG FIRE IN-SURANCE Co. OF HAMBURG.

THIS Company is now Prepared to Issue Policies against LOSS or DAMAGE by FIRE at Current Rates. Every Risk taken by this Company is participated in by Three of the largest German Fire Insurance Companies, representing an aggregate Capital and Surplus of over SIXTY MILLION MARKS, equal to FIFTEEN MILLION DOLLARS, thus enabling this Company to accept large

SANDER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, June 26, 1877.

THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE CO.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL Taels Two Million, in 1,000 shares of Taels 2,000 each. PAID UP CAPITAL—Taels Six Hundred Thousand, or Taels 600 per share,

PROVISIONAL COMMITTEE. F. H. Bell, Esq. (Messrs Adamson, Bell & Co. M. S. Gubbay, Esq., (Messis David Sassoon Sons & Co.)

James Hart, Esq., (Messfs Turner & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq., (Messrs Gilman & Co.) HUGH SUTHERLAND, Esq., (Messrs John Forster A. G. Wood, Esq., (Messrs Gibb, Livingston

HEAD OFFICE-SHANGHAI. Secretary-Hebbert S. Morris, Esq. BANKERS.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. BRANCHES. LONDON (25, Cornhill, E.C.), HONGRONG, Уоконама.

AGENCIES. At the principal ports in the East and Australian Colonies.

THE Company will be constituted on the 1st January, 1878, as a per-Marine Insurance Company, to carry on the business (established in 1863) of the North China Insurance Company, 1875-1877.

A Reserve Fund will be formed of Taels 400,000, by setting aside a portion of the profits at such times and in such sums as the Shareholders shall decide.

The net profits of the Company for each year will be divided amongst the Shareholders, in the following manner :-One-third over the Shares, a portion thereof being set aside for the forma-

tion of a Reserve Fund as above stated.

Two-thirds as a return to Contributors (being Shareholders), in proportion to the Premia paid or influenced by them. A revision of the Share List will take place at the end of every three years, and for this purpose power will be given to the Directors by the Deed of Settlement to withdraw at the before-mentioned periods all or any of the Shares held by Shareholders who have not contributed Premia or whose contributions during the preceding three years have not been in proportion to the number of Shares held.

Shareholders retiring from the Company in pursuance of the above regulation, will be notified at least three months prior to the date fixed for any such revision of the Share List, and will have the option of disposing of their Shares in either of the following ways :-

They will be at liberty at any time after receipt of notice of withdrawal, and prior to the date of revision, to sell their Shares to any person approved by the Company and accepted as the transferee;

Upon surrendering their scrip certificate for cancellation at the time of such revision, and pursuant to notice, will receive a return of the Capital paid up thereon; and so soon after as the financial position of the Company up to the date of the revision can be ascertained and the accounts adjusted, they shall also receive a pro-rata share of the Reserve Fund, if any accumulated, together with such proportion of the unappropriated profits as may be found due to them.

Notice is HEREBY GIVEN, that Applications for Shares in the undermentioned form will be received at the offices of the Company, from residents in China and Japan, until the 30th September; from London and distant ports until 31st October next.

FORM OF APPLICATION FOR SHARES.

To the Provisional Committee of the NOBTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY. Gentlemen.

...... hereby request that you will allot to Shares in the above Company, and.....agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to.....; and...... agree to pay the first call of Tis. 600 per Share, and all subsequent calls, and to subscribe the Deed of Settlement when required to do so. Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

Forms of application for Shares can be obtained at the Head-office, or by application to the Agents of the Company. Shanghai, June 18, 1877.

SHEONG ON FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL ONE MILLION DOLLARS.

Directors. KWOE ACHEONG, Merchant. PANG YIM, Merchant. Ho Sam, of Hop Yik Chan, Merchant. Loo YEE, of the Yee On Hong, Merchant, LES Sing, of Lai Hing Firm, Merchant. CHEANG SING YEONG, Merchant. CHOY CHAN, Merchant.

Menager-HO AMEL.

DOLICIES against FIRE granted on Buildings and on Goods stored therein at OURRENT RATES, subject to Discount of 20 % on the Premia.

OFFICE, 48. Bonham Strand. 越明58490日,August 29, 1877。

insurances. OHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE-HONGKONG.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of A China and Japan, and at Singapore, Baigon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the above mentioned Ports.

> MO CHARGE FOR POLICY YEES. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE. Serretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1871. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE

> COMPANY. (FIRE AND LIFE,)

CAPITAL -Two MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant POLICIES against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors

for their decision. If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

possis or any other information, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co., Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874,

INSURANCE COMPANY. (LIMITED.)

NOTICE,

TOLICIES granted at ourrent rates on Marine Risks to all parts of the World In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits are distributed annually to Contributors, whether Shareholders or not, in proportion to the nett amount of Premis contributed by each, the remaining third being carried to Reserve Fund.

OLYPHANT & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, April 17, 1873.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against Vire to the extent of \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premis

NORTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, January 1, 1874.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY,

Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

> ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL £2,000,000.

TTHE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or Merchandise in the same, at the Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co., Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1729. TETHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:---

Marine Department. Policies at current rates payable either here, in London or at the principal Ports of India, China and Australia,

Fire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed. Life Department,

Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1872,

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned Agents are in receipt of instructions from the Board of Directors authorizing them to issue Policies to the extent of £10,000 on any one first class risk, or to the extent of £15,000 on adjoining risks at current rates.

A Discount of 20% allowed. HOLLIDAY, WIRE & Oc. Hongkong, January 8, 1878.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

FIHE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foodhow, Shanghal and Hankow, and are propared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE 400. Houskons, October 14, 1868

intimations.

LOG BOOKS, WILLS,

THE CHINESE MAIL.

TROM and after the Chinese New Year's Mail will be issued DAILY instead of TRIweekly as heretofore. No change, how-ever, will be made in the price of subscription, which will remain at \$4 per annum.

The charges for advertisements are now assimilated to those of the China Mail. The unusual success which has attended the Chinese Mail makes it an admirable SHIPPING IN SHANGHAI HARBOUR. medium for advertisers.

The Conductors guarantee an eventual sirculation of one thousand copies. It is already the most influential native journal published, and enjoys considerable prestige at the Ports of China and Japan, and at Singapore, Penang, Caloutia, San Francis.

Fuyew

Honan

Kiang-yuefi

Lombardy

Paukong

Poking

Kiang-yung Kiushiu Maru

Loudoun Castle

Nagoya Maru

Chinese

Chinese

Japanese British

Japanese

British

For terms, &c., address ME CHUN ATIN, Manager.

China Mali Office. 17th February, 1874.

WASHING BOOKS. Un English and Chinese. ON ABHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the tis of ladies and Gentleman, are nov ready at this Office-Price, \$1 each. CRIMA MAIL Office.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

		Mercha	nt ves	sets	in E	longkong Har	bour.	
KWONG HING CHEUNG & Co.,		the state of the s	p P			partures reported to-day.		andren bergerij 1934 - Historia 1934 - Harris Barris
Have always on hand for Sale every description of COAL at Moderate Prices.	Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag and	Tours	Date of		1	
Mr Anyon has been appointed Manager, and all Orders addressed to him at 57.		Captain	Rig.	Tons,	Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination,	Remarks.
Praya, or to Mr Far Jack, at 30, Hing Lung Street, will receive immediate atten-	l crosmata			*: •				
tion. Hongkong, March 19, 1877. mc19	Belgio	5 h Brown 3 h Metcalfe	Brit. str. Brit. str.	2652	Aug. 24	A. McG. Heaton O. & O. S. S. Co.	Saigon. Y'hama & San F'circo	16th. 3 n.m.
	Dale	4 k Maury 2 h Thompson	Amer. str. Brit. str.	641	Aug. 29	P. M. S. S. Co. Yuen Fat Hong	Y'hama & S. F'cisco Bangkok	Mails, 20th To-morrow
THE HONGKONG CHINESE MAIL,	Danube Fame	2 h Clanchy 6 h Stopani	Brit. str. Brit. str.	790 117	Sept. 7	Yuen Fat Hong H.K. & W'poa Dock Co.	Bangkok	The greaters
THE Circulation of THIS PAPER has	Hailoong Hindostan	5 h Abbott 5 c McTavish	Brit. str. Brit. str.		Sept. 4	Douglas Lapraik & Co. David Sassoon, Sons & Co.	Amoy, Tamsui, &c. S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	To-morrow
lowing are some of its Agents:—	Khiva Killarney	2 h Lee 4 c O'Niell	Brit, str. Brit, str.	2609	Sept. 7	P. & O. S. N. Co. Glbb, Livingston & Co.	Shanghai	9th, noon
Macao,—Man Chuen Shop.	Ningpo Norna	4 c Cass 2 h Walker	Brit, str. Brit. str.		Sept. 7	Siemssen & Co. Kwok Acheong	Shanghai Swatow	To-morrow
Canton.—Sing Chuen Native Post Office, Luen Hing Street; Chui Heung Low Hotel,	l Ormoc	4 c Nagel 4 c Echevarria	Ger. str. Span. str.	777	Aug. 29	Siemssen & Co. H. Klær	Swatow	Today
Luen Hing Street; Kwong Tin Fat Shop, Yan Tsai Street; Mr Sit Chuen Fan, Tung Wen	Sunda	5 c White	Brit. str. Brit. str.	2103 1704	Sept. 4	P. & O. S. N. Co. P. & O. S. N. Co.	Europe, &c.	To-day To-morrow
Kwan; Yuen Fong Shop, in front of the Provincial Treasurer's Yamen; How Yuen	W. Cores de Vries	4 h Rhode	Brit. str. Brit. str.	1271	Sept. 4	Jardine, Matheson & Co. G. McBain	S'pore, Calcutta, &c.	9th daylight 13th, 4 p.m.
Shop, Small Market Street, New City; Yee Cheung Photograph Shop, Honam; Kwai	Salling Vessels						*************	COR DELL TOOK
Houng Shop, Sin Choong, Honam. Swatow.—Sui Cheong Hong; Woh Shun	A. E. Vidal A. S. Davis	4 k Schreiber 4 k Ford	Ger. bqe. Amer. sh.	332 1399	Aug. 21	Wieler & Co. Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Loong Hong	Aberlady Adolph	4 k Nicoll 3 k Horn	Brit. bqe. Ger. sh.	735	Aug. 5	Vogel, Hagedom & Co. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	New York	
Amoy.—Chin Cheong Hong, Mook Kek Street.	l Alva	3 c Cunningham 8 c Souza	Brit. bqe. Port. sh.	326	Sept. 6	Wieler & Co. Brandao & Co.		
Foochow.—Mr Yu Ching Cheong, Foo- chow Arsenal; Mr Lum Kwok Ching, Mari-	Anazi Antipodes	3 k Hill 4 k Wyeth	Brit. bqe. Brit. bqe.	468	Aug. 7	Adamson, Bell & Co. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
time Customs. Shanghai.—Mr Ng Ching Shun, Mari-	Assens Auguste	4 k Vandel 4 k Thomsen	Dan. bqe. Brit. 3m.sc.	2 56	Sept. 7	Eduard Schellhass & Co. Meyer & Co.		
time Customs; Mr Ho Yue Chuen, Mari- time Customs; Mr Chun Sing Hol, Messes	Banian Bon Accord	1 c Grandin 4 k Scott	Brit. sh. Brit. bqe.	760	Sept. 4	Meyer & Co. Gibb, Livingston & Co.	$\mathcal{M}_{\mathcal{A}} = \{ h_{i}, h_{i} \in \mathcal{A} \}$	
Jardine, Matheson & Co.; Mr Kwong Chuen Fook, Educational Mission School;	Bonita Brema	8 k Hehr 8 k Timpe	Ger. 3m.sc.	341	Aug. 17	Eduard Schelihass & Co. Wieler & Co.	London Halphong	
and Mow Sing Sang Kee shop.	Carmelita and Ida Ceres	3 k Ketels 8 k Specht	Ger. bqe	488	Aug. 29	Eduard Schellhass & Co.		
Ningpo.—Mr Sung Min Chee, Maritime Customs.	Chamron Kamrye Charité	2 h Möller 4 k Hervé	Siam. bqe.	480	Sept. 4	Wm. Pustau & Co. Chinese		
Hankow.—Yee Hing Hong.	Charles Moureau Charlotte Andrews	Quatresous 4 k Place	Fch. bqe.	368	Aug. 9	Carlowitz & Co. Landstein & Co.	Tientsin	K'loong Dock
Chefoo.—Yee Shun Hong, Japan.—Mr Leong Chun Tong, Municis	Charron Writana	2 h Ullrich	Brit. bge. Siam, sh.	656	Aug. 12	Rozario & Co. Chinese		
pal Office, Yokohama. Saigon.—Wohang Hong.	Chili Christiana A. P.	2 b Cheng Sang 4 c Veal	Siam, sch. Brit. bqe.	445	April 80 July 80	Gibb, Livingston & Co.		
Singapore, Ting Kee Hong, Kwong	· Circa	4 c Capra 8 c Alexander	Nic.3, m.so. Brit. sch.	145	Aug. 31	Remedios & Co. Olyphant & Co.		
Foot Sang Hong. Penang.—Yow Wing Fong; Argus Office.	Edinburgh Castle Emma	8 c Lull 3 k Seward	Brit. bqe.	1546 627	July 8	Siemssen & Co. Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Calcutta.—Mow Sing Company.	Galatea	7 h Jaeger	2.74 to 1	1296	July 30	Wm. Pustau & Co. Melchers & Co.	Amoy	Cos'tan Dock
San Francisco.—Kwong Foong Tai Hong.		8 k Steffens 8 k Iwing	Ger. bqe. Brit. bqe.	658	July 21	Melchers & Co. Vogel, Hagedom & Co.	London	
The above are some of the Agencies; others will be published, when they are	Glamorganahiya	3 k Romney 3 k McEachun	Brit. bge.	315 456	Sept. 4 July 17	Wm. Pustau & Co. H. Klær & Co.		
With the express couriers who carry the	l Glorg	2 c Lang 2 h Thompson	Brit. bqe. Siam, bqe.	472 479	Sept. 5 Aug. 18	Wm. Pustau & Co. Tack Mee		
official despatches and Peking Gazettes, to circulate the Chinese Mail in the interior of	Grasmere	3 k Freeman 3 k Hastings	Amer. sh. Brit. bqe.	1200	July 5	Russell & Co. Vogel, Hagedom & Co.	New York New York	
China. Hongkong, March 10, 1874.	Great Admiral Gustav	6 c Thompson 3 k Baben		1576	Aug. 10	Captain Captain	PIGH TOTA	
	H. S. Sandford	3 k Doose 2 k Sleeper	Ger. bqe.	354	Aug. 17	Wieler & Co. Order		
A NEW SPOCE OF NEXT JOBBING TYPES	Harbinger Ionian	3 k Johnston 3 k Cave		1506	July 27	Jardine, Matheson & Co. Wm. Pustau & Co.		
HAVING BEEN RECEIVED	Iris Isles of the South	3 k Kron 3 k Dennett	Ger. bge. Brit. sb.	506	Sept. 4	Siemssen & Co. Amhold, Karberg & Co.		
FROM ENGLAND,	Jacobir	3 k Hohlmann 7 h Madder	Ger. bge. Brit. sh.	417	Aug. 21	Siemssen & Co. Meyer & Co.	Newchwang	
THIS OFFICE IS PREPARED TO EXECUTE	Jan Peter Johanne	3 k Ewert 4 c Bunje	Ger. bqe. Ger. sh.		Sent. 4	Siemssen & Co. Vogel, Hagedom & Co.	-	Wanchal Pier
Book & Job Printing	Jubilee Kalsow	3 k Harris 4 k Gadd	Brit. sh. Erit. bqe.	765	July III	Vogel, Hagedom & Co.	New York San Francisco	
OF EVERY DESCRIPTION AT REASONABLE BATES.	Kate Waters Kim Soon Hoat	4 k Gieso 2 c Kent	Brit. bqe. Sia. 8m. sc.	580	Aug. 19	Rozario & Čo. Chinese	Portland (Oregon)	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
FANCY BALL PROGRAMMES	Kim Yong Tye Lolterer	2 1 Kofoed	Siam. bqs. Amer. sch.	- 820	Aug. 13	Tack Mee Insurance Cos.		
ASSORTED SIZES, IN GOLD AND COLOURS.	Lord Macaulay Loweswater	3 k Monkman 8 c Roberts	Brit. bqe.	847	July 1	Vogel, Havedom & Co	Hamburg	
BALL PENCILS,	Lucre Maid Marlan	2 h Klindt 2 e Forest	Siam. bqe,	434	Sept. 4	Tack Mea	Portland	
MENU CARDS.	May Queen Merso	Prior 3 k Robertson	Brit. bqe	472	Aug. 1	Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	*************	Cos'tan Dock
In Gold & Coloured Borders & Pattern	Michelle Selchan Mikado	1 c Gerstenberg 3 k Hinsch	Brit. bqe.	447	Aug. 17	Gibb, Livingston & Co. H. Kimr & Co.		
—;o; —	Nimrod Northampton	3 k Clark	Ger. bqe. Brit. bqe.	330 695	July 30	Melchers & Co. Captain		
BOOKS BOUND IN APPROVED	Orlon Papillon	8 c Clare 3 k Scott	Brit. bqe.	1161 381	Aug. 18	Gilman & Co. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Newchwang	Cleared
PATTERNS.	Pelho '	3 c Gouin 4 k Christiansen	Fch. bqe. Ger. bqe.	458 250	July 27	Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Tientsin	
	Peruvian Quickstep	2 c Berry 4 k Barnaby	Amer. bge.	1060 826	Sept. 6 July 27	Meyer & Co. Russell & Co.		
For Sale.	Rosina	4 k Schultz	Ger. bqe. Am. 3m. sc.	398 406	Feb. 28	Wm. Pustau & Co. Amhold, Karberg & Co.		
AGREEMENTS FOR FOREIGN-GOING	Rotterdam Saint Anne	4 K Francois	Fch. bg.		Sept. 2	Order Carlowitz & Co.		
SHIPS, LADY'S AND GENTLEMAN'S WASHING	Star Queen	2 h Andreason 4 k MacKintosh	Siam. bqe. Brit. bqe.	769	Aug. 12 (Aug. 13 l	Chinese Eduard Schellhass & Co.		
BOOKS,	Sydenham	3 k Clough 4 k Miller	Brit. sh.	1090 1068	Sept. 5	Order Messageries Maritimes		
CONTRACT PASSAGE TICKETS, EXPORT CARGO REPORTS,	Thomas Fletcher	3 k Steffens 8 c Pendleton	Ger. bqe.	456 S	Sept. 4	Siemssen & Co. Wm. Pustau & Co.		
POWERS OF ATTORNEY,	Twilight	8 c Barry 4 k Dalargy		1229 680	Aug. 17 0	Messageries Maritimes Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
CHARTER PARTIES,	Victory	8 c Goodman 3 k Whiting	Brit. bge. Brit. bg.	779	Aug. 11 I		Portland (Oregon)	
SHIPPING ORDERS, BILLS OF LADING,	Viscount Macduff Warrior	3 k Wright	Brit. 3m.80.	289 919	Aug. 28	Borneo Co., Limited	Ranolesia	Ya-14
PASSENGER LISTS,	William Cobb Winlow	4 c Brady 4 c Barker	Am. 3m. so Brit. bge,	424	fuly 30 (llyphant & Co.	New York	Jos'tan Dock
BILLS OF SALE, LOG BOOKS,	Wm. Phillips	3 k Healy		925 714	Aug. 25 E	735 C 1 111	Melbourne & Sydney Singapore	Neared
WILLS,	WHAMPOA				July 0 1	umpau O/ UU,		
,	Beethoven Echo	Haje Tozer	Ger. bge. Brit. bge.	340 S 369 Z	Sept. 1	felchers & Co. Irnhold, Karberg & Co.		
China Mail Office, 2, Wyndham Street,	Eudoxie Adolphine Formosa	Martin -	Fch. bg.	254	lug. 11 C	Carlowitz & Co.	Chefoo	
(Rept of Clink)	Irene Jylland	Hansen	Ger. sch.		lug. 27 C	arlowitz & Co.	Tientsin Tientsin	
NOTIOE.	Malvina		Dan, bg. Ger. bqe.	267 8 496 A	Sept. 2 E Lug. 11 V	duard Schellhass & Co. Vieler & Co.	Tientsin	
THE WAR		Company of the Party of the Par		بأندمنيه				

Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

	Vessel's Name.	Anchor-	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H, P.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
	Lai Tsa Magpie Mecanee	2 k 6 c 6 k	Annamite British British	gunboat gun vessel military hospital	1200 774 2591	3	160	June 9 Sept. 1	M. Louivre Herbt. J. G. Garbelt
,	Moorhen Shen-chi Victor Emanuel	5 k 6 h 6 c	British Ohinese British	gunboat gunboat Commodors's flag-ship	450 180 3087	4 5 14	60 60	July 25 Sept. 6	John M. Stokes J. H. Wade Commodore Watson

MEHOHANT STRAMERS SAILING VESSELS. *Peshawur September 1, 1877. Foothow Soochow Hilda American MERCHANT STEAMBRS. Ta-yue-fung John Milton American for London Katle Flickinger French Chinese Tung Ting British Lunan Masion British MERCHANT SAILING VESSELS. Meridian Ada Wiswell Chinese American schooner Santon Hesperia for London British barque Avons Siam B. F. Watson Chinese American barque Sir Lanceint Howsang Chinese Black Adder for London Strathearn Kiang-thang Chingse British ship Carlolanus Supreme Kinng-foo Chinese Caller Ou for New York Kiang-plau Uggiah Chinese Ohing Tah Ohinese barque Wigton Kiang-wae Chinese City of Aberdeen British barque

Coldstream

Coquette

Corea

Coringa

for New York Countess of Errol British schooner Duke of Abercorn British ship * Since left port, or arrived at Hongkong,

American ship

German barque

British barque

American barque

British barque Woollahra for London MEN-OP-WAR. Cyclop German gunboat H. M. gun-vessel Frolio H. M. gun-vessel Juno H. M. corvette Morge Russian sloop U. S. gunbost

Siamese brig

for London

British brig

for London

British barque

American schooner

American schooner

Siamese barque

Siamese barque

British barque

British barque

British barque

British schooner

Printed and published by Gio. Mushay Bain, at the China Mail Office, No. 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkopg.